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### MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS.

Mrs. William Little Steele was hostess to the Woman's Missionary Society on last Thursday afternoon from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock in a social meeting. The Mary Steele and Rebecca LeGrand Societies had the pleasure of attending this meeting as guests of the Woman's Society.

Mrs. Steele had planned this delightful meeting well, having mapped out her program some time before. Mrs. Harvey Boney, of Rose Hill, the Conference Corresponding Secretary, and Miss Elizabeth Lamb, of Fayetteville, a returned missionary from Brazil were present, and made interesting addresses. An outline of the program follows:

Hymn—Jesus Calls Us O'er the Tumult.

Bible Lesson—Read by Miss Lamb.

Prayer—By Mrs. W. P. Webb.

Duet—It Pays to Serve Jesus Each Day: Misses Berta West and Octavia Scales.

Reading—The Personal Side of Jesus: Mrs. J. LeG. Everett.

Address—How to Make a Missionary Meeting Interesting: Mrs. Harvey Boney.

Solo—Have Thine Own Way: By Mrs. John Armistead.

Address—Training of the Child, Woman's Part: Mrs. Elizabeth Lamb.

Brief Remarks by Mrs. Wm. Little Steele.

Refreshments.

Toast from Mary Steel Society to Woman's Society—Miss Jennie Parsons.

Mrs. Boney gave us so many attractive ideas and ways to make our missionary meetings interesting, and we feel sure we are all going to put forth greater efforts that our work may go forward.

Miss Lamb called especial attention to the training of the children and young people, as they are the future hope of our church. It was an inspiration to hear these good women, and we all went to our homes feeling that it was time well spent in the service of the Master, and resolved to do greater service for Him in the future.

The following attended this meeting: Mrs. Harvey Boney, Rose Hill, N. C.; Miss Elizabeth Lamb, Fayetteville, N. C.; Mrs. John L. Armistead, Mrs. John Allred, Mrs. F. T. Biggs, Mrs. W. A. Biggs, Miss Georgia Biggs, Mrs. L. J. Bell, Mrs. W. M. Covington, Miss Faith Covington, Miss Maye Covington, Miss Hallie Covington, Miss Florence Covington, Miss Tessie Covington, Miss Caroline Covington, Mrs. W. B. Cole, Mrs. J. R. Smith, Mrs. S. W. Steele, Mrs. Walter Thomas, Miss Mary Thomas, Mrs. E. Thomas, Mrs. Lum Taylor, Mrs. Nellie Terry, Mrs. J. T. West, Mrs. A. E. Walsh, Mrs. Claud Williams, Mrs. L. M. Williams, Mrs. R. B. Waddell, Miss Octavia Scales, Miss Berta West, Mrs. W. P. Webb, Mrs. Henry Fairley, Mrs. A. L. Ormond, Mrs. A. M. Palmer, Miss Jennie Parsons, Miss Rosa Parsons, Mrs. R. R. Simmons, Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. S. S. Steele, Mrs. J. F. Stephenson, Miss Wilma Stansill, Miss Mary Stansill, Mrs. Geo. Steele, Mrs. Wm. Little Steele, Mrs. W. B. Stansill, Mrs. W. L. Scales, Miss Mary Alys Lindsay, Mrs. H. F. Long, Mrs. W. C. Leak, Mrs. J. W. Leak, Mrs. Mial Leak, Mrs. Frank Leak, Mrs. L. D. McPhail, Miss Mamie Monroe, Mrs. Walter Lowry, Mrs. W. H. Moore, Miss Maude Moore, Mrs. John Morrison, Mrs. Jennie McRae, Mrs. W. R. McIntosh, Mrs. J. T. Collier, Mrs. W. T. Covington, Mrs. J. G. Davis, Mrs. Fred Dickson, Mrs. J. LeGrand Everett, Mrs. Joe Gibson, Mrs. H. L. Guthrie, Miss Dell Gibson, Mrs. E. E. Hamer, Mrs. D. T. Hicks, Mrs. S. V. Hasty, Miss Agnes Head, Mrs. Fannie Lyon, Mrs. J. M. Ledbetter, Mrs. H. D. Ledbetter, Mrs. B. F. Long, Mrs. W. C. Thomas.

### MEETING OF THE COLORED TEACHERS OF RICHMOND COUNTY.

(Contributed.)

The meeting of the colored teachers of Richmond county was held Saturday, November 15th at the colored graded school building.

The meeting was opened at 11 o'clock. The order of service began with the hymn "Holy, Holy, Holy." Scripture read by Rev. T. S. Strong, after which prayer was offered by Rev. P. H. Mumford.

Mr. Florence Williams, representative of the state department of health, was briefly introduced to the audience. She spoke concerning the conditions of better health among our people. She also brought to us an outline by which the State Sanatorium is to be erected for the colored people of this state. Her plan is of such nature that every patron, teacher, and student may assist in aiding the project. This is done by the sale of Christmas stamps or Red Cross seals at a penny each. She distributed to the teachers of the various schools 500 seals per teacher, which is equivalent to \$5. The proceeds of these seals will be turned over to Supt. L. J. Bell as soon as the sales are made.

Mrs. Holland, the state supervisor of rural schools for colored pupils spoke briefly of the necessity that those of us who are making teaching our profession be thoroughly prepared. She emphasizes the fact that it is quite essential that we keep up with the educational work of the state, and know what the state of North Carolina is doing in the educational welfare of the colored people.

Mr. O. G. Reynolds, superintendent of the "Compulsory Attendance Top of Adjoining Column."

Law," in his own unique way, gave the interpretation of the law as laid down by the school authorities. He spoke of instances wherein the law is effective and emphasized the fact that with the necessary co-operation on the part of the teacher and parent it would be even more effective.

Supt. L. J. Bell spoke to the teachers in his usual manner, urging them not only to come up to the re-ROCKINGHAM FOUR—quirements of the law, but, go beyond. He emphasizes the fact, that to be a successful teacher it is necessary that one sacrifice time and study.

Re-organization of the Teachers association took place. The officers are as follows: President, Prof. J. H. Floyd, vice president, C. W. Dockery; secretary, Mrs. E. A. Covington; treasurer, Mrs. H. B. Womble. Program committee: Miss Alice Harris, Mr. T. S. Strong, Miss Lelia Gordan. Constitution: Mrs. H. E. Womble, Rev. T. S. Strong, Miss V. O. Murray, Mr. E. Harris, Mrs. Hilliard. Acting secretary, Sara L. Johnson.



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